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that we are being asked to fund with cigarette tax dollars with very modest levies in their communities. For example, the city of Omaha could fund the 22.5 millions of dollars that we're going...that they're asking us for with a levy of less than I cent in their community. In fact, they could fund it with a levy that would cost them \$8.37 on a \$100,000 house. of Lincoln could likewise fund what they are asking us for, about \$15 million, with a very modest levy in their community. In their community, it would happen to cost a little bit more. It'd cost \$10.43 on a \$100,000 house. Now, if \$8.37 a year on a house, or \$10.43 on a \$100,000 house in those communities is too much to pay for something that the community might think is important, then for at least the sake of discussion, and I think some consistency with other practices and policies that we've adopted in the past, the amendment that we're offering, AM1300, suggests that the local communities would have to raise 25 percent in matching funds from local sources; that they could not use state sources for their matching funds, that they would have to find local sources. Now, I think that is entirely appropriate because it is, in my view, if we're going to participate in these kinds of projects, we at least want to make sure that the local community is making a commitment and that the commitment comes from the community's funds, not from our funds. Now if you recall, I don't know where all the funding is coming for the project in the city of Omaha, we did have information about the funding for the project in the city of Lincoln. If you go down through that list, I didn't see anything that I would characterize as a contribution by the city of Lincoln to that project. There was some highway funds, but highway funds come from the state or the federal There was some money from an NRD. That doesn't come from the municipality. I did not see anywhere in that list of funding that there was any contribution by the municipality. don't, and again, I'll note that I don't know where all the money is coming for...coming from for the project in the city of Maybe there are some local funds, or what we would characterize as local funds being devoted to that, but I certainly couldn't see that in the case of the Lincoln project. Now, again, I will suggest to you that the proposal in the amendment that we require, if they are going to take our money, that they put up 25 percent in their own funds seems to me to be